

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY
MBA INTEGRATED-SEMESTER- VII-EXAMINATION- SUMMER-2024

Subject Code: 2577113

Date: 15/05/2024

Subject Name: Sales and Distribution Management

Time: 02:30 PM TO 5:30 PM

Total Marks: 70

Instructions:

- 1. Attempt all questions.**
- 2. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.**
- 3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.**
- 4. Use of simple calculators and non-programmable scientific calculators are permitted.**

- Q.1 (a)** Define the term ‘Sales Management’. Explain functions of Sales Management in detail, quoting suitable examples **07**
- (b)** What is ‘Sales Forecasting? Explain its importance. **07**
- Q.2 (a)** What is the importance of Proper Selection and Recruitment of Sales People what are the various Sources of Recruitment? **07**
- (b)** Define sales territory. What are the objectives? How does it differ from “trade areas”? **07**
- OR**
- (b)** Explain the various elements of Channel Information Systems. **07**
- Q.3 (a)** Write Sales Process and explain the various steps involved in the Process. **07**
- (b)** What are the sales related marketing strategies undertaken by the sales manager. **07**
- OR**
- Q.3 (a)** Discuss the role of Warehouse in distribution management. **07**
- (b)** Explain the points of difference between Retailing and wholesaling. **07**
- Q.4 (a)** Explain the Roles and responsibilities of sales manager. **07**
- (b)** What are the major objectives of sales quota? **07**
- OR**
- Q.4 (a)** Write a note on Sales Contests. **07**
- (b)** What are the methods adopted by sales manager for remuneration salespersons. **07**
- Q.5 (a)** Discuss the various Reasons for channel conflicts. **07**
- (b)** “Standards for measuring sales performance need to be specific, measurable, attainable, realistic, and time specific.”- Discuss. **07**
- OR**
- Q.5 (a)** Define market potential. How does it differ for sales potential? **07**
- (b)** What do you understand from market logistics? Explain its objectives and decisions of market logistics with suitable examples. **07**
